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## **BOX PATENT APPLICATION**

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is the nonprovisional patent application

For (Title):

SURFACE TEXTURE MEASURING MACHINE, LEVELING DEVICE FOR SURFACE

TEXTURE MEASURING MACHINE AND ORIENTATION-ADJUSTING METHOD OF

WORKPIECE OF SURFACE TEXTURE MEASURING MACHINE

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- Formal drawings (Figs. 1-18; 12 sheets) are attached.  $\boxtimes$
- A Declaration and Power of Attorney is filed herewith.  $\boxtimes$
- An assignment of the invention to MITUTOYO CORPORATION is filed herewith.  $\boxtimes$
- $\boxtimes$ An Information Disclosure Statement is filed herewith.
- Entitlement to small entity status is hereby asserted.
  - A Preliminary Amendment is filed herewith.
- Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence -- This nonprovisional application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed
- Priority of foreign application No. JP 11-299508 filed October 21, 1999 in Japan is claimed (35 U.S.C. §119).  $\boxtimes$
- A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application is filed herewith.  $\boxtimes$
- The filing fee is calculated below:  $\boxtimes$

## CLAIMS IN THE APPLICATION AFTER ENTRY OF ANY PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT NOTED ABOVE

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INDEP CLAIMS	3 - 3	= 0*		
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